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Fruit and Ornamental Trees,

Roses, &c.

124 Fairmount St., Lowell, Mass.

CATALOGUE .

OF.

E. SHEPPARD & SONS,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN

PLANTS,

FOR

Green-houses, Hot-houses, and Bedding.



GREEN-HOUSES AND NURSERY:

NO. 224 FAIRMOUNT STREET,

LOWELL, MASS.



LARGE ENGLISH PANSY.

NEW PLANTS FOR 1886.

ASPARAGUS PLUMOSA.

An exceedingly handsome ornamental plant, for the greenhouse or conservatory. It has a pretty feathery growth, and is extremely useful for cutting for decorations.

Price, \$2.50 each.

NEW JAPANESE CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

Comte de Germiny. Bright nankeen-yellow, striped deep bronze; large flower, with broad petals.

Carmen. Deep red, petals large and finely incurved; reverse of petals, bright golden yellow.

Colibri. Rich, crimson shaded, blackish brown, and violet-golden centre.

Fernand Feral. Soft rose, shaded mauve, and suffused cream color; large and fine.

Flambeau. Recurved florets of a rich orange-crimson; reverse of florets, bronze.

Frou Frou. Rich magenta color; centre golden yellow.

Joseph Mahood. Large full centre, ground color yellow, curiously dotted, and striped with a reddish hue; distinct.

L'Incomparable. Petals spiral form, yellow and reddish brown; base of centre petals a showy crimson; distinct.

Mme. Bertha Pigmy. An anemone-flowered Japanese variety; rose-magenta; full large flowers.

M. Henri Jacotot. Brownish crimson, pointed gold; large and fine.

Mlle. Lacroix. Rosy white, passing to pure white; large and superb.

M. Delaux. Deep reddish crimson; very fine; large, full flowers.

Mme. de Sevin. Rosy amaranth, shaded lilac; centre petals spiral and pure white; large and fine.

Peter the Great. Lemon-color; fine large flowers.

Pietro Diaz. Velvety garnet-red, golden yellow; reflex.

Price, 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.

NEW LARGE CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

Gen. Bainbridge. Dark orange-amber, gold centre.

Isabella Bott. Delicate pearl-white, tinted rosy lilac; finely incurved.

Jenne D'Arc. Pure white; grand flower; tipped lilac.

Lady Hardinge. Delicate rose-pink, tipped with blush and yellow.

Leon Lequay. Beautiful deep rose; full and fine.

Lord Derby. Dark purple; finely incurved.

Mrs. Todman. Rosy mauve, incurved notched florets, reverse silvery, splendid, globose flowers.

Princess Beatrice. Beautiful, lively tint of rosy pink; a fine show flower.

Sir B. Seymour. Bronzey red; broad incurved petals.

Price, 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per dozen.

CHRYSANTHEMUM CULLINGFORDII.

"The Scarlet Crimson Chrysanthemum." The color nearly approaches the deep, crimson-maroon, Zonale Pelargonium, Henry Jacoby, beautiful and distinct; splendid habit, and free flowering; a grand recurved variety.

Price, 50 cts. each.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

(New Early Flowering.)

Both undermentioned will be found quite distinct and useful, flowering during August and September; colors as names denote.

Yellow Bedder.

White Bedder.

Price, 30 cts. each.

NEW SINGLE CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

The undermentioned are seedling of our own raising, and were selected for their distinctness of color, and the extra large and well-formed flowers.

Buttercup. Deep golden yellow; flowers large.

Coquette. Beautiful blush, very large.

Favorite. Bronze, with a clear yellow ring in centre.

Price, 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.

NEW FANCY DAHLIAS.

Charles Wyatt. Deep rose, flaked with crimson and purple; a grand show flower.

Flora Wyatt. Orange, flaked with red; sometimes pure orange; fine flower.

Price, 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.

NEW SHOW DAHLIAS.

Burgundy. Rich, dark puce, diffused with light-purple maroon; full size, fine form.

George Smith. Bright magenta; a compact and beautiful variety; full and fine form.

Triumphant. Rosy purple or magenta; fine-shaped flowers.

W. H. Williams. A splendid bright scarlet, surpassing all others of that color; high centre, large size, free-flowering.

Price, 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.

NEW SINGLE DAHLIAS.



Beauty of Uplands. A rich crimson, distinctly tipped with gold, and tinted with gold at base of petals, good substance.

Catewago. A superb variety; flowers medium size; rich, blackish maroon color.

Charles Laws. Buff ground, striped and spotted with crimson, distinct; large flowers.

Fire Fly. Very rich crimson.

Gambetta. A fine, noble flower, of yellowish buff hue; very free.

Henry Irving. Rich plum color, suffused with crimson; medium size; stout and circular.

- Mrs. Bowman.** A pleasing shade of magenta-purple; petals smooth and slightly reflexed at the edges.
- Nellie Ware.** A distinct variety; medium size, good substance, and good form; color purplish crimson.
- Silver King.** Orange-cinnamon, flushed with silver, distinctly edged with pale yellow.
- Victor Stranberg.** Heavy, rich scarlet, dark centre; a splendid formed flower.
- Price, 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.

NEW FUCHSIAS.

- Flocon de Nieve.** Corolla white, large, and well-shaped; sepals clear carmine; single.
- Frau Emma Topfer.** Quite a distinct and novel variety; tube and sepals rosy coral color; corolla clear rosy blush; flower large and very double; remarkably pretty in its growth and character.
- Lady Heytesbury—Improved.** White tube and sepals, purple corolla; decidedly one of the best.
- Lustrous—Improved.** Lustrous in consequence of its intense orange-scarlet corolla; has been a favorite for years. The one now offered is a seedling, and in all respects better; corolla larger, bolder, and more intense; fine habit.
- Mrs. Bright.** Waxy white tube and sepals; clear orange-scarlet corolla; fine habit; extremely free.
- Mr. King.** Rich crimson-scarlet; tube and sepals soft coral-red; corolla rich deep purple; fine habit; one of the prettiest varieties.
- Penelope.**

Price, 50 cts. each, \$4.00 per doz.

NEW GERANIUMS.

- Lord Derby.** Very large truss and pips; most fiery pink; very free, and fine habit.
- Lady Chesterfield.** The deepest of all salmons; splendid formed flowers.
- Swanley Gem.** Bright rosy salmon, very distinct; enormous white centre, large pips, and large trusses.

Price, 50 cts. each.

NEW SINGLE GERANIUMS.

(Our Own Raising.)

- Acme.** Rich crimson, shaded magenta-purple; large pip and truss.
- Brilliant.** Bright crimson-scarlet; small, white eye, large truss.
- Delight.** Blush, with a scarlet ring around centre; white eye, large truss.
- President.** Very fine; large, dark scarlet; small, white eye, large truss.

Price, 50 cts. each; \$4.00 per doz.

NEW GERANIUMS OF 1885.

Advance. A splendid, bright scarlet; large, lovely shape; very smooth and round.

Ajax.

Belle Nanceined.

Boule Noire. This is the largest, darkest, and the roundest truss of any variety yet raised; the nearest to a black or purple.

Danæ.

Hollyhock. This variety resembles a Hollyhock very much. Its extended front guard, or outer rounded petal, stands out beyond the double-rosette centre petals; brilliant scarlet, shaded yellow; a double guinea.

Joyful Improved. Individual flowers and trusses; very large and fine, and is what its name implies; soft magenta, with a distinct edging of orange-scarlet.

Lady Reed. A grand improvement in oculated varieties; pure white, with a large, scarlet centre; shape and size of petals almost equal to the scarlet section.

La Cygne.

Lord Derby. So large and bright, both pip and truss, that at first sight it looks like one huge mass of fiery pink.

Mrs. Bowen. A beautiful blush color, distinct and pleasing; dwarf, bushy habit.

Mrs. Robertson. Very free and dwarf, flowers and trusses large; bright rose-pink.

Mr. J. Bariff. A most useful variety for growing into specimens, quite distinct in color; deep rosy salmon, with a very intense orange-scarlet centre; trusses large and freely produced.

Pharos. Another step towards a perfect double white; although no whiter than others, it has a larger pip and truss, with a free, fine habit.

Queen of the Belgians. This variety is certainly the best single white yet produced, and brings the whites nearly up to the size and shape of the colored varieties.

Price, 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.

DOUBLE WHITE VIOLET.

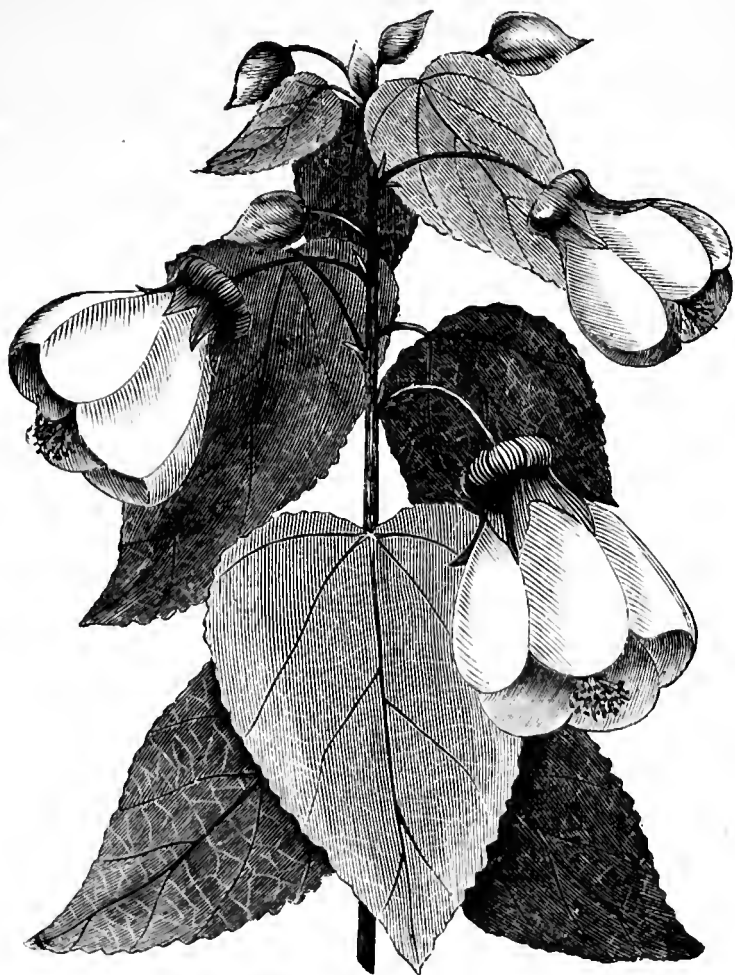
Swanley White. By far the best Double White Violet in cultivation. It very much resembles the good old "Neapolitan" in growth, with a larger flower and flower foot-stalks, and is, for choice bouquets and cut-flowers, quite a gem.

Price, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

NEW ROSE.

Wm. Francis Bennett. This grand, crimson Rose has, from its free-flowering quality, brilliancy and richness of color, and delightful fragrance, achieved a wonderful popularity, which it justly deserves.

Price, \$1.00 each.



ABUTILONS.—See Varieties on next page.

GENERAL COLLECTION.

ABUTILONS.

(See Cut on page 8.)

These plants have extremely beautiful flowers, being richly veined and striped, suitable for the garden or green-house; flowers bell-shaped.

Auguste Pasewold. A fine variety; foliage beautifully marked with large patches of green, yellow, and white; very distinct.

Boule de Neige. Pure white, a most abundant bloomer; flowering freely during the winter.

Darwini. Orange-scarlet, veined with pink.

King of Yellows. Clear yellow.

Mesopotamicum. Calyx-scarlet, yellow petals.

" **Variegata.** Leaves variegated yellow and green.

Purpureum. A low-growing variety, with rosy purple flowers, blooming in clusters.

Rosæflorum. Rich rose-color, veined with crimson.

Thomsonii Plena. Mottled yellow and green foliage; perfectly double flowers; deep orange, streaked with crimson.

Price, 15 to 25 cts. each; \$1.50 to \$2.50 per doz.

ACALYPHA TRICOLOR.

A very handsome plant from the Feejee Islands, with large foliage, irregularly mottled with crimson and flame-red. A beautiful plant for summer decoration. Price, 25 to 50 cts. each.

A. Marginata. 50 cts. each.

A. Macafeana. 50 cts. each.

ACHYRANTHUS.

Fine plants for vases and bedding out; particularly recommended for ribbon-gardening, etc.

Aureus Reticulatus. Leaves light green, marked with net-work of golden yellow.

- Brilliantissima.** A most brilliant variety, with heart-shaped leaves of a brilliant carmine, mottled with crimson, the stem and leaf-stalks pinkish violet.
- Gilsonii.** Broad, round, bright carmine leaves, veined with pinkish violet.
- Lindenii.** Fine dwarf habit; lance-shaped leaves, of a deep blood-red color.
- " **Aurea.** Leaves bright yellow, veined carmine; stems violet-crimson.
- " **Brilliantissima.** Leaves and habit the same as *A. Lindenii*, but with deep carmine leaves, and deep pinkish violet stems.
- Verschaffeltii.** Deep crimson leaves, with bright carmine veins.
- Woolseyii.** Dark metallic-crimson, almost black.

Price, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

AMPELOPSIS VEITCHII.

A small variety of the Virginia Creeper, a plant of rapid growth, and adheres very firmly to any surface. It is perfectly hardy, and like the old variety, the leaves change to a bright scarlet in the fall. Price, 25 cts. each.

- Acacia.** In variety; 50 cts. each.
- Acorus Gramineus.** Foliage variegated; 25 cts. each.
- Aloe Variegata.** 50 cts. each.
- Ardisia Crenulata.** Red berries; 50 cts. each.
- Aspidistra Lurida Variegata.**

ALTERNANTHERAS.

Beautiful, dwarf-growing plants from Brazil; finely variegated with all the shades of crimson, scarlet, yellow, and green; suitable for baskets and ribbon-lines.

- Paronychioides.** Leaves tinted green, crimson, and straw-color.
- " **Major.** Leaves brilliant carmine and green.
- " " **Aurea.** Bright golden yellow.
- " " **Nana.** Golden yellow, very compact.
- Spathulata.** Leaves tinted carmine and green.
- Versicolor.** Leaves tinted light rose to deep crimson.

Price, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

AKEBIA QUINATA.

A beautiful, *hardy* climber, attaining a height of twenty feet. Flowers chocolate-purple color; very fragrant. Price, 25 cts. each.

ARALIA FILICIFOLIA.

An ornamental stove-plant, graceful in habit, and well furnished with foliage. One of the most valuable decorative plants of its family. The stem and leaf-stocks are purplish, thickly marked with oblong white spots, with leaves expanding into a broad, leafy limb. Price, 75 cts. each.

ARALIA SIEBOLDII.

A beautiful, ornamental plant, alike useful in the conservatory or the sub-tropical garden ; leaves palmate, deeply lobed, bright green. Price, 50 cts. to \$1.00 each.

AGERATUM MEXICANUM.

An easily-grown garden-favorite ; good bedder ; flowers blue. Price, 10 cts. each ; \$1.00 per doz.

ALOYSIA CITRIODORA.

Well known as the "Lemon-Scented Verbena." Indispensable in every garden, for the delightful fragrance of its leaves. Price, 15 cts. each ; \$ 1.50 per doz.

ASPARAGUS TENNISSIMA.

A beautiful climbing variety, of rapid growth ; one of the most useful vines for decorations yet introduced, having a beautiful, light, and feathery appearance.

Price, 25 cts. to \$2.00 each.

ASPARAGUS REMOSA.

A dwarf and very pretty variety, of strong growth, very useful for bouquets, cut-flowers, or floral designs of any description.

Price, 25 cts. each.

ASTILBE JAPONICA.

(*Spiraea Japonica*.)

One of the most beautiful of all hardy herbaceous plants, growing about eighteen inches high, with foliage of a dark, glossy green, flowering in spikes of pure white, feather-like flowers ; a valuable plant for winter-flowering. Price, 25 cts. each ; \$2.50 per doz.

ANEMONE HONORINE JOBERT.

A beautiful herbaceous plant, producing large, white flowers from August to October ; grows two to three feet high. Price, 25 cts. each ; \$2.50 per doz.

ANTHERICUM VITATUM VARIEGATUM.

A useful and beautiful variegated-leaf plant ; one of the best for hanging-baskets. Price, 25 cts. each ; \$2.50 per doz.

AGAVE AMERICANA VARIEGATA.

(*Century Plant*.)

No plants are more decorative or more effective than these ; they require but little attention, and may be wintered under the stage of the green-house, or in a dry, warm cellar. Price, 50 cts. to \$1.00.

AZALEA INDICA.

We have a large variety of this valuable species, too numerous to describe, consisting of all the leading varieties. Price, 50 cts. to \$3.00 each.

HARDY AZALEAS.

Of all the hardy flowering shrubs, none, perhaps, afford such a variety in color as the Azaleas, for almost every shade of pink, white, yellow, orange, and scarlet is to be found among them; and as they generally flower in great profusion, and are, many of them, deliciously scented, they deserve to be universally planted.

The following varieties are perfectly hardy, and will flourish wherever Rhododendrons are grown:—

Amœna. White and pink, fine.	Melanie. Light rose, fine.
Bessie Holdaway. Pink, fine.	Meteor. Orange and brick.
Cardinal. Bright pink.	Minerva. Pink and orange.
Cardoniana. Pink, light shade.	Nancy Waterer. Bright yellow, fine.
Charles Baumann. Fine, pink.	Optima. Bright orange.
Calendulacea Elegans. Pink, orange, and white.	Pallas. Crimson and orange.
Cuprea. White, shaded pink.	Princeps. Fine yellow.
Fama. Rosy pink.	Pulchella Roseola. Pink.
Fulgens. Salmon-pink.	Radiata. Pink and orange.
Gloria Mundi. Bright red and orange.	Roi des Belges. Rosy pink, striped with white.
Jules Cæsar. Orange and pink.	Sinensis Rosea. Yellow.
Macranth. Light yellow.	Triumphans. Crimson-pink.
Mme. Baumann. Bright pink, striped with white and orange.	Unique. Fine orange.
	Viscocephala. Pure white, extra.

Price, \$1.50 to \$3.00. each.

BOUVARDIAS.

Splendid winter-flowering and bedding plants. The following varieties are the most desirable:—

Alfred Neuner. Double, pure white, rosette-like flowers.
Elegans. Bright carmine, large truss.
Davidsonii. White, fine form.
Lieantha. Dark, dazzling scarlet.

Price, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 to \$5.00 per doz.

BEGONIA GLAUCOPHYLLA SCANDENS.

A drooping or creeping variety, with large clusters of rich salmon-colored flowers; very desirable for hanging-baskets. Price, 25 cts. each

BEGONIA.

We have a large collection of this popular plant. The class of which *B. Rex* is a type, is extensively used for baskets, vases, ferneries, etc. Of the winter-flowering varieties, *B. Fuchsioides*, *B. Weltoniensis*, are representatives, producing a profusion of pink, white, and carmine flowers during the entire winter months. Price, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 to \$4.50 per doz.

BEGONIA.

(**Tuberous Rooted.**)

We have a fine collection, consisting of some of the best varieties. In June and July we shall have a large lot of seedlings saved from the best named sorts. Price, named varieties, 50 cts. to \$1.00; seedlings, 35 cts. each; \$3.50 per doz.

BEGONIA DIAMANT.

A beautiful variety of the *Rex* type, with medium-sized foliage, of a rich silvery hue, tinted with rosy pink; dwarf habit. Price, 25 cts. each.

BEGONIA METALLICA.

Perhaps of all the ornamental-foliaged Begonias, none are so beautiful as this; and for a window or drawing-room plant, it is without a rival. Price, 25 cts. each.

BEGONIA RUBRA.

One of the finest winter-flower variety. The flowers are scarlet-rose, glossy, and wax-like, very large and freely produced. Price, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

BOUGAINVILLEA SPECTABILIS.

A handsome, free-flowering green-house climber, of very rapid growth; flowers rich mauve color. Price, 50 cts. each.

CALADIUMS.

A fine collection of these beautiful, ornamental-foliaged plants for the decoration of the conservatory or green-house in summer, with large-sized leaves assuming almost every imaginable color in their variegation. They are of easy culture. Many of the varieties are well adapted for baskets, vases, etc. Price, 50 cts. to \$1.00 each.

Adolphe Adam. Densely speckled with white and red.

Argyrites. Spotted profusely with white.

Bicolor. Dark crimson mid-rib.

Chantini. Profusely spotted carmine, crimson mid-rib.

Devosianum. Dotted and flecked with pure white.

Duchartre. White, suffused with rose.

Houlettii. Light green, white spots, pink mid-rib.

Mme. Houlettii. Pink and white spots.

Mars. Large; crimson center.

Pictum. Light green ground, large white spots.

Reine Victoria. White; green and crimson spots.

Price, 50 cts. to \$1.00 each; \$4.50 to \$10.00 per doz.

CANNAS.

These plants, by their broad, massive foliage, impart a beautiful aspect to gardens; also well adapted for pot-culture. Price, 15 to 25 cts. each; \$1.50 to \$2.50 per doz.

CALCEOLARIA.---SHRUBBY.

Bijou. Brilliant crimson, dwarf.

Golden Gem. Deep yellow, profuse bloomer.

Price, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

COLOCASIA ESCULENTA.

One of the most attractive ornamental-foliaged plants in cultivation. The leaves are heart-shaped, of immense size. As a single plant for lawn or large flower-borders, it has no superior. Price, 25 to 50 cts.; \$2.50 to \$5.00 per doz.

MONTHLY CARNATIONS.

Adonis. Variegated, red and white.

Miss Joliffe. A delicate blush-pink.

Astoria. Yellow, scarlet, and white.

Philadelphia. Brilliant scarlet.

Crimson King. Deep garnet-crimson.

Pres. Degraw. Pure white, fragrant.

Garfield. Bright crimson-scarlet.

Snowdon. Snow-white.

Grace Wilder. A beautiful clear pink, finely fringed.

Smith's Seedling. Large, white, fragrant.

Gen. Grant. Pure white, in clusters.

Variegated 'La Purite. Carmine, striped.

Henrietta. Striped rose and purple.

La Purite. Rosy carmine, profuse bloomer.

Price, 10 to 25 cts. each; \$1.00 to \$2.50 per doz.

CENTAUREA CANDIDISSIMA.

A valuable plant for massing, or to contrast with dark-colored foliage in ribbon-rows; leaves downy white; compact habit. Price, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

CENTAUREA GYMNOCARPA.

A beautiful plant, with silvery gray foliage; well adapted to contrast, in ribbon-lines, with dark-foliaged Coleus or Achyranthus. As a basket-plant it is unsur-

passed, its drooping, fern-like leaves being very effective. Price, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

CERASTIUM TOMENTOSUM.

A white-foliaged plant of trailing habit; well suited for hanging-baskets or stands. Price, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

COROZEMA VARIA.

A beautiful green-house shrub, bearing purple and orange-colored flowers in spikes four to six inches in length, lasting in bloom through January and February. Price, \$1.25 each.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

(Large Flowering.)

Alfred Salter. Delicate silvery pink; large and fine.

Blonde Beauty.

Bronze Jardin des Plantes. Bronze-orange; yellow center.

Bruce Findlay. A model flower; pale canary-yellow; most distinct in color.

Duchess of Manchester. White, large flower.

Empress of India. Clear white.

Ellen Turner. Lilac-rose.

Gen. Halley. Light rose.

Golden Dr. Brock. Bright golden yellow.

" **Empress.** Clear primrose-yellow.

" **Queen of England.** Golden canary, large and fine.

" **Beverly.** Golden yellow, fine.

Guernsey Nugget. Primrose-yellow.

Hero of Stoke Newington. Rosy blush, slightly shaded purple.

Inner Temple. Magenta-crimson, distinct.

Jardin des Plantes. Golden yellow.

Julia Lagravere. Velvety crimson, fine.

John Salter. Cinnamon-red, orange center.

Lady Slade. Soft lilac-pink, center blush.

" **Talford.** Delicate rosy lilac, silvery back.

Lord Alcester. Primrose; a distinct and noble flower.

" **Wolseley.** Sport from Prince Alfred, of more substance, with bronzy hue.

" **Stanley.** Buff.

M. Lucian Balk. Reddish crimson and orange.

Mlle. Corizette. Deep rose, shading off to a beautiful silvery rose.

Mabel Ward. Canary yellow, very fine.

Miss Mary Morgan. Delicate pink, fine.

Mrs. Geo. Rundel. Pure white, incurved flower.

" **Parnell.**

" **Dixon.** Splendid yellow.

" **Gladstone.** Dark chestnut-red; very fine.

" **J. Crossfield.** White, tinted light pink; globe shape.

Mr. Jay. Reddish crimson, fine.

" **Geo. Geleenny.** A sport from Mrs. G. Rundel; straw color.

Niel Desperandum. Large; dark red and orange.

Princess of Teck. Blush white, large and full.

Pres. Sanderson. Purple-tinted buff; flowers large and beautifully incurved.

Pearl des Beauties. Deep crimson and brilliant amaranth.

Prince Alfred. Silvery rose-crimson, large and fine.

" " Rose-crimson, large and fine.

" **of Wales.** Dark purple-violet.

Queen Victoria. White.

Rose Perfection. Bright rose.

Sunflower. Pale canary color.

Snowball. White, ball-shape.

Tragedie. Rosy violet; flowers full.

Venus. Delicate peach.

White Venus. White, finely incurved.

Price, 15 to 25 cts. each; \$1.50 to \$2.50 per doz.

JAPANESE CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

Alba Striata. Beautifully striped.

Agrements de la Nature. Golden yellow, shaded reddish brown; very fine.

Bouquet Fait. Rich rose and silvery white, center shaded yellow, flowers large and very fine.

Bend d'Or. Much twisted, grand show-flower; bright sulphur-yellow.

Bicolor. Enormous, large, flat flowers; red, striped with orange; last a long time in flower.

Ceres. Beautiful blush-pink; fine flower.

Chinaman. Brilliant violet-purple, occasionally streaked with silvery white; fine flower.

Comtesse de Bomgard.

" " **Beauregard.** Light rose; large flowers.

Chang. Yellow, tipped with crimson.

Comedie. Beautiful clear rose, medium size, and very double.

David Allen. Very large; chrome-yellow outside; center cinnamon-red.

Delicatum. Blush, very large; petals broad and flat, tapering to a point.

Dormillion. Deep amaranthus; reverse of petals silvery white; fine.

Duchess. Enormous red flowers; very free and distinct.

Dr. Masters. Center bright red, tipped with gold.

Elaine. Pure white, very full, fine.

Fee Rageuse. White, shaded with lavender; large.

Fair Maid of Guernsey. Pure white, extra large.

F. L. Harris. Bright cinnamon-red; a new and fine color; distinct and good; late.

Frinbriatum. Most delicate pink; fringed.

Gloriosum. Beautiful lemon color; very free-flowering; one of the earliest.

Golden Prince. Primrose-yellow; very free.

Gaillardia. Deep reddish maroon, tipped golden; large and fine.

Grandiflora. Large, golden yellow, very fine.

- Helen McGregor.** Orange and crimson, small.
- H. Waterer.** Enormous flowers, of great substance; flat; yellow, with copper center.
- Hiver Fleuri.** Cream color, tinted with rosy violet; center of flower buff-yellow.
- J. Collins.** Immense, large, flat flowers, of copper-bronze; a self-colored variety.
- James Salter.** Pink, changing to white.
- Lady Selborne.** Pure white; very fine and useful.
- L'Infante d'Espagne.** An immense flower; beautiful pale yellow.
- L'Isle des Plaisirs.** Brownish crimson, shaded orange and gold; free.
- Lord Beaconsfield.** Salmon-red, shaded with amber-yellow, reverse of petals nankeen-yellow; remarkable and distinct.
- Lord Byron.** A magnificent, large variety; very distinct orange, tipped with red.
- Marquis of Lorne.** Reddish carmine, spotted and tipped; reverse nankeen-yellow; a large, bold flower, reflexed.
- Mrs. Wm. Mencke.** Brightest yellow; with slender petals of peculiar shape; very distinct and pleasing; late.
- Minnie Miller.** Dark rose; very free-flowering; the best rose-colored variety.
- Margot.** Rosy violet, cream center; reverse of petals yellow; very large and double.
- M. Desbreaux.** Deep chestnut-red; extra large.
- Mrs. C. W. Wheeler.** Immense, perfect-shaped flowers; outside petals orange, and deep red center.
- Mrs. Geo. W. Childs.** Like preceding variety in shape; outside petals white, dark rose center.
- Moonlight.** Pure white; flowers immense size.
- Meg Merrilies.** Sulphur-white, very large; most curious form; late.
- Mary Major.** Beautiful creamy white; a large, grand flower.
- Mrs. Chas. Cary.** White, much curled, large flowers; one of the finest.
- Mme. Boucharlat.** Orange-brick red; reverse of petal silvery-white; a beautiful peony-formed flower.
- M. Ardine.**
- M. Richard Larois.** Dark rose and bright violet, tipped pure white; an enormous flower.
- Orphee.** Brick-red and crimson, center gold, incurved flower.
- Purple King.** Deep purple.
- Petit Norbert.** Carmine-rose, shaded silver; the florets bordered with pure nankeen-yellow; reverse golden yellow.
- Pres. Arthur.** Immense rose flowers, opening in whorls; this was exhibited, measuring more than seven inches across.
- Pres. Garfield.** Brightest, large flowers; very distinct.
- Rex Rubrorum.** Deep red, shaded crimson; reverse of petals pale nankeen.
- Reine des Beauties.** Deep, rich crimson, reverse of florets golden; free.
- Syringa.** Lilac; immense size; center petals increasing, others very irregular.
- Snow-Storm.** Pure white, distinct and free.
- Striatum Perfectum.** A fine, large flower, white; beautifully striped and flaked violet-rose.
- Souvenir de la Marrides.**
- Triomphe du Chatelet.** Salmon-color, tinted rose, golden center, immense size.

Ville de Hyeres. Yellow, striped brown; fine.

W. K. Harris. Flowers ball-shaped; nankeen-yellow; at first it shows a light red center.

Price, 10 cts. to 25 cts. each; \$1.00 to \$2.50 per doz.

POMPONE CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

Apotheose. Purple-carmine.

Gen. Canrobert. Pure yellow.

Arbre de Noel. Bright orange, tinted red; imbricated.

Golden Circle. Golden yellow, quilled flower.

Anna du Belocca. Sulphur-white.

La Fiancee. White, fringed.

Amphillia.

Fremy. A beautiful flower, with lacinated florets of a rich orange, tipped with gold.

Brunette. Amber-yellow, shaded with reddish brown.

La Mascotte. Mahogany-color; imbricated.

Mlle. Martha. Pure white, extra fine.

Model of Perfection. Rich lilac-edged, pure white, distinct.

Nellie. Creamy white.

Rose Mantle. White, pink-shaded.

Mme. Domage. White, early, fine.

Volcan. Flowers small; reddish mahogany.

Duruflet. Rose-carmine.

Price, 10 cts. to 25 cts. each; \$1.00 to \$2.50 per doz.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

Very early-flowering varieties.

Early Cassey. Light, tipped lilac.

Scarlet Gem. Maroon-red.

Indicum Nanum. Creamy white.

Sœur Melanie. Pure white; a most abundant bloomer.

Mme. Dufoy. Plain white.

Virginia. Pure white, well formed.

Mrs. Campbell.

Precocite. Bright yellow.

Price, 10 cts. to 25 cts. each; \$1.00 to \$2.50 per doz.

SINGLE CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

Attraction. Quilled petals, of medium length; color soft, rosy lilac.

Miss Beckwith. White, shaded lilac-blush, broadly tipped with deep rosy lilac.

Miss Cannell. One of the best; finely formed; pure white; deep yellow center; free.

Mrs. Langtry. A decided acquisition; flowers a pleasing shade, of silvery blush.

Mr. Toole. Small, well-formed flowers; clear yellow, very free, and distinct.

Price, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

(Large Flowering Anemone or Quilled.)

King of Anemones. Large crimson-purple, fine and distinct; late.

Lady Margaret. Fine, large, white, double rows of guard petals.

Marguerite Telleville. Blush, high center.

CISSUS DISCOLOR.

A handsome hot-house climber, with leaves beautifully shaded with green, purple, and white. It should be grown in moist, warm atmosphere, and partially shaded from direct rays of the sun. Price, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

CINERARIA MARITIMA CANDIDISSIMA.

A beautiful, silvery-foliaged plant, compact habit. Price, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

COBCEA SCANDENS.

A well-known climbing plant of vigorous growth, and may easily be trained to a height of thirty feet, if desired. Price, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

COBCEA SCANDENS VARIEGATA.

A beautiful variety of the above. The leaves are margined with yellowish white, which form a beautiful contrast to its large, purple, bell-shaped flowers. Price, 25 cts. each.

COPROSMA BAUERIANA VARIEGATA.

An exceedingly handsome plant, with bright, glossy, green-and-yellow leaves; excellent for decorating; also a good bedder. Price, 35 cts. each.

COLEUS.

(General Collection.)

The Coleus are now too well-known to require any description. Valuable for massing or ribbon-borders, in contrast with lighter foliage. We have selected the following as the most distinct of the named varieties.

Beacon. Blackish purple, with brown and bright crimson mid-ribs and veins; foliage large.

Bismarck. Rich, velvety, dark crimson center, golden yellow edge; dwarf.

Dr. Joe Hooker. Dark crimson, stained with dark brown; narrow, dark green margin.

Eclipse. Scarlet, shaded with brown; yellowish green, serrated edge.

Golden Circle. Rich, bronze-crimson center; broad yellow margin; one of the best.

Golden Gem. Crimson-bronze, margined with bright sulphur-yellow.

Golden Bedder. Beautiful golden yellow leaves, very dwarf, branching habit, remarkable color in hottest sun.

James Barnshaw.

Kentish Fire. Center deep crimson, bronze zone, green edge.

Lord Falmouth. Center pale yellow, zoned with carmine, yellowish-green edge.

Miss Retta Kirkpatrick. Large, white center, shaded with yellow; broad-green, lobed margin; large foliage.

Miss Rosina.

- M. J. Linden.** Bronzy crimson center, broad, bright yellow edge.
Nellie Grant. Light crimson center, deep yellow edge, distinct.
Paroquet. Yellow, maculated with crimson and green.
Red Cloud. Rich crimson, evenly marmorated with blackish brown, narrow green margin.
Seraph. Fiery crimson, spotted with chocolate, bright green edge.
Superbissima. Blackish maroon, with a brilliant, broad purple band through the center of the leaf.
Verschaffeltii. Rich, dark crimson, finest bedding sort.
Zephyr. Rich, bronze-crimson, slightly marbled with dark olive-green, violet, purple veins.

Price, 10 cts. to 15 cts. each; \$1.00 to \$1.50 per doz.

CLEMATIS INDIVISA LOBATA.

A beautiful green-house variety, producing an abundance of white flowers; very useful. Price, 50 cts. each.

CLEMATIS.

(*Virgin Bower.*)

The Clematis are beautiful, free-growing, fast-climbing, and perfectly hardy vines. They are well adapted for training on trellis-work, and grow from ten to fifteen feet high.

We have a fine collection of these beautiful, hardy climbers in all shades and colors. We grow only the best varieties, and those that have proved to be perfectly hardy.

Price, 50 cts. to \$1.00 each.

CROTONS.

Handsome hot-house plants, with very ornamental foliage.

Acubafolia.	Interruptum.	Prince of Wales.
Angustifolia.	Irregulare.	Queen Victoria.
Aurea Maculata.	Macarthurii.	Variegatum.
Cornutum.	Maximum.	Veitchii.
Disraeli.	Mooreanus.	Volutum.
Elegans.	Multicolor.	Weismanii.
Evansianus.	Nobilis.	Youngii.
Fasciatus.	Pictum.	

Price, 50 cts. to \$2.00 each.

CURCULIGO RECURVATA.

A noble plant, of Indian origin. The leaves are long, stalked, spreading, lanceolate, longitudinally plated leaves, beautifully recurved, extremely useful for decorative purposes. Price, 50 cts. to \$2.00 each.

CURCULIGO RECURVATA VARIEGATA.

This is a remarkably handsome and ornamental stove-plant, producing from a tuberous rhizoma, an arching head of recurved, plated, oblong-lanceolate leaves upwards of two feet long and six inches wide, on stalks a foot and a half in length. The leaves are green, banded in a varying manner, with clear white stripes. Price, \$1.00 to \$2.50 each.

CYCLAMEN PERSICUM.

A fine collection of these beautiful winter-blooming plants, comprising all the shades of color from pure white to deep crimson, many of the varieties being striped and blotched. Price for good, strong, flowering plants, 50 cts. each; smaller plants 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

CYPERUS ALTERNIFOLIUS VARIEGATUS.

A beautiful grass-like plant, throwing up stems to the height of three feet, surmounted by a cluster or whorl of leaves. The stems and leaves are beautifully variegated with white. Splendid plant for aquariums, fountains, baskets, etc. Price, 25 cts. to 50 cts. each.

SHOW DAHLIAS.

Our varieties of this most beautiful and showy fall flower have been selected with special reference to constancy and continuance of bloom. They are all first-class varieties. Many of the new and high-priced varieties of last season are included in this selection.

Bob Ridley. Red, good center.

Champion Rollo. Large, dark orange, with a light shade on the edge of the petals; fine.

Christopher Schmidt. Light salmon, fine form.

Chas. Leicaster. Beautiful, bright scarlet.

Constancy. Yellow ground, deeply edged with lake; a telling flower.

Dr. Rozies. Bright scarlet, fine form.

Duke of Connaught. Dark crimson, sometimes shaded purple; very constant; good form.

Duke of Albany. Rich crimson, fine form; free.

Emily Edwards. Blush-white; beautiful color and form.

Herbert Turner. French white, very large, and finest form; constant.

H. W. Ward. Yellow ground, heavily edged and shaded with crimson; fine form.

Hope. Light rosy lilac, large, and very constant.

Imperial. Deep purple, with a pretty shading of lilac; large and splendid form.

Jas. Cocker. Large, purple, constant.

John Bennett. Yellow, deeply edged with scarlet.

John McPhersons. Violet-purple, fine form.

Jas. Vick. Purple-mauve, color intense, very full.

- John Stephen.** Bright orange-scarlet, new in color; finest form.
- Lady Wimborne.** Deep pink, heavily shaded with rose; very pretty; a new color.
- Laura Livingston.**
- Louisa Neat.** Delicate pink, creamy white center; splendid form.
- Lizzie Liecaster.** Pink, curiously pencilled; constant.
- Miss Henshaw.** Very large, white, full center; constant.
- Mrs. Sibbald.** Primrose, deeply edged with lake; a desirable color.
- Maggie Soul.** Blush-white, edged with purple; profuse-flowering.
- Miss M. Batchellor.** Beautiful, bright scarlet; a perfect model in shape.
- Model.** White, full center.
- Mrs. Hodgson.** Yellow ground, heavily edged with crimson; good petal; center and outline grand.
- Mrs. Seaman.** Yellow ground, edged with lake.
- Mr. J. C. Reid.** Light orange; large, well-built flower.
- Miss Cannell.** Creamy ground, deeply edged with purplish crimson.
- Mrs. John Laing.** French white, excellent form.
- Nellie Buckle.** Lilac-shaded rose, full and fine.
- Pre-eminent.** Purple or plum color; extra.
- Queen of Beauties.** Pale straw, beautifully tipped with purple; fine form.
- Revival.** Rich crimson, full size.
- Shirley Hibberd.** Dark, shaded crimson, very constant.
- Sunbeam.** Clear buff, with a beautiful outline.
- Senator.** A very fine purple.
- Seraph.** Blush, center well up; strong, erect habit.
- Sir Garnet Wolseley.** Reddish chocolate; very large, and good form.
- Wm. Rawlings.** Rich crimson-purple, perfect outline.
- Wm. Davis.** Light purple; a fine, early variety.
- Wm. Keynes.**
- Walter Reid.** Purple, with magenta tinge; fine flower, full and large.

Price, 20 cts. to 35 cts. each; \$2.00 to \$3.00 per doz.

POMPONE OR BOUQUET DAHLIAS.

- Ardens.** Clear straw.
- Dr. Schwabes.**
- Fannie Weiner.** Yellow, with a light crimson edge.
- Fred Muller.** Reddish buff.
- Fire-ball.** Bright orange-red.
- Floribunda.** Rich carmine-red.
- Flora McDonald.** Primrose.
- Gem.** Crimson.
- Gold Meteor.** Golden yellow.
- Karl Goldenburg.** Small, yellow, distinctly tipped with white.
- Keleine Moulettin.** Maroon.
- Keleiner Serius.** Scarlet.
- Linda.** Orange.

Little Dear. Blush white, tipped with rose.

" **Elizabeth.** Rosy lilac, tipped.

" **Gold-light.** Creamy white.

" **Helen.** Light blush.

" **Kate.** Velvety purple.

" **Wonder.** Crimson-scarlet.

Peasant Girl. White, edged with crimson.

Prince of Liliputians. Maroon.

Pure Love. Lilac.

Rubincentiflora. Dark maroon, almost black, scarlet tip.

Sacramento. Yellow, edged with red.

Sappho. Dark crimson.

Price, 15 cts. to 25 cts each; \$1.50 to \$2.50 per doz.

FANCY DAHLIAS.

Annie Pritchard. White, beautifully striped with lilac-rose; a large flower.

Golden Eagle. Yellow, fine, laced with purple.

Jessie McIntosh. Red, distinctly tipped with white.

John Forbes. Fawn color, striped with maroon; one of the finest.

Lady Antrobus. Red, tipped with pure white; fine form.

Mme. Soubeyre. Beautiful rosy lilac, striped with carmine.

Polly Sandell. Beautiful lemon-color, tipped with white.

Prof. Faucett. Dark lilac, striped with chocolate.

Polly Sandell. Beautiful lemon-color, tipped with white.

Price, 25 cts. to 35 cts. each; \$2.00 to \$3.00 per doz.

BEDDING DAHLIAS.

Flag of Truce. White, flaked lilac.

Mt. Blanc. White, free-flowering.

Queen Victoria. Fine yellow.

Price, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

DAHLIA JAUREZII.

A most valuable and useful decorative plant for the late summer and autumn months. Its blossoms are of a rich crimson, and very much resemble, in shape and color, the well-known cactus, "*Cercus Speciosimus*." Height about three feet, very bushy; flowers of very striking appearance, quite unlike those of any ordinary double dahlia, the florets being flat and not cupped. Price, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

SINGLE DAHLIAS.

- Amber.** Amber, tinged purple; free.
Auranciaca. Orange-scarlet.
Acquisition. Crimson, with scarlet bars at the edge of each petal; very striking.
Aurata. Very fine yellow.
Canary. Bright canary-yellow, extra fine.
Comet. Deep reddish scarlet, veined and suffused with orange and gold flowers.
Cloth of Gold. Rich yellow.
Defiance. Extra fine scarlet.
Evening Star. Rich maroon.
Fire Fly. Very rich crimson.
Flavius. Good dwarf yellow.
Grandee. Large, rich purple.
Gracilis Perfecta. Velvety crimson, free bloomer.
Harlequin. Deep rose ground-color, having a broad band of purple down the center of each petal; very attractive.
Harold. Very deep rose.
Irene. White, delicately-shaded pink.
Lucifer. Fine scarlet.
Lovely.
Lutea Grandiflora. Rich yellow, large, well-shaped flower; very free, and good habit.
Lutea. Bright yellow.
Mrs. Cullingford.

Nora. Bright pink, a very free and effective bedder; extra.

Paragon. Dark maroon.

Purple Paragon. Violet-purple; habit, etc., same as Paragon.

Purple Prince. Grand, free bloomer.

Rob Roy. Intense, bright scarlet, very early; extra.

Scarlet Cervantesii. Bright scarlet.

" **Gem.** Bright scarlet.

Single Zinnia. Rich crimson-scarlet; a neat flower, dwarf habit.

Solfaterre. Pale primrose.

Thalia. Pretty, rich amaranth, very dwarf; extra fine.

Thos. Wheeler. Pretty terra-cotta color; a good-shaped flower.

Tyro. Lilac-yellow, zone at the base.

Terra Cotta. Color terra cotta.

Vesuvius. Fine dwarf; scarlet.

Wm. Gordon. Mauve, flushed with pink.

White Queen. One of the best and most useful.

Zulu. Deep maroon, shaded crimson; color intense.

Price, 15 cts. to 25 cts. each; \$1.50 to \$2.50 per doz.

DAISIES.

A fine collection of these handsome, spring-flowering plants, of various colors.
Price, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

DRACÆNAS.

Beautiful, ornamental-leaved plants, much used as center plants in rustic baskets
vases, etc., and are among the most beautiful plants for table decoration.

Amabilis. Ground-color bright, shining green, suffused with creamy white and
rosy pink.

Baptistii. Light-green foliage, streaked with bright rose.

Congesta. Narrow, green leaves, rapid growth.

Cooperii. Large, purple-and-red foliage.

Ferrea. Broad, dark-brown leaves.

Gracilis. Green foliage, of a graceful habit, with drooping leaves.

Guilfoylei. Bright-green foliage, striped pink and white.

Hendersonii. Distinctly striped with white and rosy pink.

Hybrida. Deep green, margined with rose.

Imperialis. Dark ground, changing to bright red and light rosy pink.

Macleayi. Very dark bronze, with metallic luster; dwarf.

Magnifica.

Mooreana. A bright, reddish crimson color, of graceful habit.

Nobilis. High-colored variety; leaves greenish bronze.

Nobilis Stricta. Marked with crimson.

Porphyrophylla. Deep bronzy red hue on the upper side, and slightly glaucous
beneath.

Rubra Elegans. A narrow-leaved variety, striped red, margined with rose.

Shepperdii. Young leaves dark green, striped with paler green, which changes with age to orange-red.

Superba. Dark bronzy red, changing to bright crimson.

Terminalis. Bronze red, changing to bright crimson.

Veitchii. Narrow green-leaved variety, of graceful habit.

Youngii. Young leaves, light green, tinged with rose, changing to copper-color.

Price, 50 cts. to \$1.00 each.

DIEFFENBACHIA BAUSEI.

A stalky-growing variety, with broad leaves, of dwarf habit, color of leaves a yellowish green hue, irregularly edged and blotched with dark green, and spotted with white. Price, 50 cts. to \$1.50 each.

ECHEVERIAS.

This beautiful and interesting genus of succulent plants is now attracting unusual attention. They are desirable as pot-plants for decorative purposes.

Atropurpurea. Long, purplish leaves.

Metallica. A very ornamental plant, with large, massive leaves of a beautiful metallic hue.

Retusa Secunda.

Sanguinea Miniata Nuda.

Secunda Glauca. A small, compact-growing variety, with green leaves.

Price, 10 cts. to 50 cts. each.

ERANTHEMUM TRICOLOR.

This plant requires a warm temperature to bring out its variegations, which are pink, maroon, and purple. Valuable for massing. Price, 25 cts. each.

ERANTHEMUM ATROPURPUREUM.

A beautiful variety, with rich, rosy purple leaves, requiring the same treatment as *E. Tricolor*. Price, 25 cts. each.

ERIANTHUS RAVENNÆ.

A tall, ornamental, reed-like grass, having a beautiful foliage and dense, silvery-white plumes. Being perfectly hardy, it will prove a most desirable plant for the decoration of lawns. Price, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

EULALIA JAPONICA VARIEGATA.

A very ornamental grass, of easy culture, perfectly hardy. The leaves are long and narrow, and striped green-and-white. The flower-stem is from four to six feet high, terminating with a head or panicle of blossoms which, when cut off, retain their beauty a long time. Price, 50 cts. to \$1.00 each.

EUPHORIS AMAZONICA.

A very handsome green-house plant. The flowers, which are freely produced, are star-shaped, pure white, deliciously fragrant, four inches across. Easily grown in a warm, moist atmosphere. Price, \$1.00 to \$2.00 each.

EXOCHORDA GRANDIFLORA.

A beautiful, hardy shrub, growing about four feet high; producing beautiful spikes of white flowers in May and June. Price, \$1.00 each.

FUCHSIAS.

(See Cut on page 28.)

- Aurora.** Salmon; long tubes and sepals.
Avalanche. Bright carmine sepals, violet corolla, flowers double.
Brilliant. Corolla scarlet, sepals white.
Carminata. Tube and sepals carmine, the latter very broad and well reflexed, deep violet corolla; the petals are very round and smooth.
Charming. Scarlet tube and sepals, purple corolla.
Clipper. Tube and sepals carmine-scarlet, and well reflexed; corolla deep purple, shaded violet.
Coccinia. Scarlet, self-color.
Crensa. Rich crimson tube and sepals, the latter short and completely reflexed; large corolla, a rich, dark purple plum color, shaded crimson at the base.
Earl of Beaconsfield. Tube and sepals rosy carmine, corolla deep crimson; free-blooming variety.
Eclipse. Large corolla, of a deep purple, fine shape; bright red tube and sepals, latter broad and well reflexed; good habits, free-flowering.
Fairest of the Fair. Sepals and tubes white, rich velvet corolla.
Grand Duchess. Large, pure white, double corolla, of fine form; brilliant carmine tube and sepals.
Grand Duchess Maria. White tube and sepals, rose corolla; strong grower.
Gustave Dore. Rich carmine tube and sepals, double white corolla; medium size and a free-bloomer.
Jules Ferry. Scarlet tube and sepals, violet-mottled white corolla; a pretty variety.
Jennie de Arc. Pure white corolla, tube and sepals bright red; extra.
J. J. Rosseau.
Louis Blanc.
Lord Wolseley. A fine, large flower, with broad, reflexed sepals, vinous red color; corolla, soft, rosy crimson, veined with red and margined with bluish purple. Excellent habit, and a profuse bloomer.
Mrs. Rundell. A grand improvement on the well-known Earl of Beaconsfield; very quick, strong growth, and very free-flowering; a grand market variety.
Miss Lizzie Vidler. Light rosy red sepals, beautiful, soft mauve corolla; very free.
Mrs. H. Cannell. Scarlet tube and sepals, large, double, pure white corolla; the finest double white.



Noveau Mastidonte. Excellent habit, and of free growth; flowers full and double; the corolla globular, color dark violet, veined with red; sepals beautifully reflexed.

Princess Beatrice. The tube is rather stout and short, sepals deep crimson, corolla reddish purple, good-shaped flower.

President. Tube and sepals bright vermilion, corolla a very rich violet.

Rose of Denmark. Tube and sepals blush, the latter beautifully recurved; corolla delicate pink.

Rose of Castile. Blush-white sepals, corolla rosy purple.

Speciosa. Fine early market variety.

Wave of Life.

Price, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

FERNS.

No plants are more general favorites than ferns. Their great diversity and gracefulness of foliage make them much valued as plants for ferneries, baskets, rock-work, etc.

Adiantum Affine.

" **Amabile.**

" **Cuneatum.**

" **Farleyense.**

" **Formosum.**

" **Macrophyllum.**

Anemia Flexuosa.

Asplenium Longissimum.

Cheilanthes Elegans.

Davallia Canariensis.

" **Mooreana.**

" **Tenuifolia.**

Doodia Caudata.

Gymnogramma Chrysophylla.

" **Peruviana Argyrophylla.**

Gymnogramma Tartarea.

Lomaria Gibba.

Lygodium Scandens.

Microlepia Strigosa.

" **Herta Cristata.**

Nephrodium Mollie Corymbiferum.

Nephrolepis Exalata.

" **Davallioides Furcans.**

Phlebodium Aureum.

Platyserium Alaicorne.

Platyloma Rotundifolia.

Polypodium Vacinifolium.

Polystichum Proliferum.

Pteris Argyrea.

" **Cretica.**

" **Alba-Lineata.**

" **Hastata.**

" **Longifolia.**

" **Scaberula.**

" **Tremula.**

" **Tricolor.**

Selaginella Circinalis.

" **Cæsius-Arborea.**

" **Densa.**

" **Flabellata.**

" **Japonica.**

" **Kraussiana.**

" **Martensii.**

" **Poulterii.**

" **Robusta.**

" **Rubricaulis.**

" **Umbrosa.**

" **Wildenovii.**

Price, 15 cts. to 50 cts. each; \$1.50 to \$5.00 per doz.

TREE FERNS.

Alsophila Australis.

Cyathea Dealbata.

FICUS ELASTICA.

A very ornamental plant, with very large, thick, glossy, green leaves; a fine decoration plant for the garden in summer, or the conservatory in winter. Price, \$1.00 to \$3.00 each.

GARDENIA FLORIDA.

(Cape Jessamine.)

Plants with dark, glossy foliage; flowers pure white, blooming in spring, deliciously fragrant. Price, 50 cts. each.

GNAPHALIUMS.

Neat, white-leaved plants, suitable for baskets, vases, or narrow ribbon-lines.

G. Lanatum. Downy-white foliage, of a vigorous growth.

G. " Variegatum. Same style of growth, with variegated leaves.

G. Saundersonii. Very shrubby, growing about six inches high. Silvery white.

G. Tomentosum. Narrow, lanceolate leaves, forming a bush ten to twelve inches high.

Price, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

GLOXINIAS.

Of these magnificent summer-blooming plants we have a splendid collection, both of upright and pendant varieties. They are well worthy a place in every collection. Price, 50 cts. each; \$3.00 to \$4.00 per doz.



GLADIOLUS.

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(See Cut on page 30.)

No plant blooms so freely, with little or no care, as the *Gladiolus*. The varieties are now so numerous, and many of them so much resembling each other, that we do not give a descriptive list of varieties. No garden, however small, should be without them. We offer, this season, a choice collection of seedlings, surpassing many of the named varieties in beauty, and at one-half the price. Price, named varieties, 25 to 50 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz. Seedlings, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$5.00 per hundred.

CHOICE ZONALE GERANIUMS.

Clytie. Crimson, suffused magenta, edged with orange-crimson; white eye; flowers large and fine.

Emperor. Bright crimson-scarlet; flowers large, and trusses very fine.

Edith George. Rich, reddish pink, trusses very large and globular, fine overlapping petals.

Favorite. Cerise-scarlet of a most pleasing tint; flowers large and of the finest form.

Ferdinand Kauffer. Deep, rich magenta-purple, orange-scarlet in upper petals; very bright and distinct.

Imogen. Salmon, of a beautiful soft shade; flowers and trusses well formed.

Kate Farmer. Soft rosy salmon; flowers and trusses finely formed.

Kate Greenaway. Lovely, large, round-shaped flowers, of a beautiful bright pink.

Mr. C. L. Teesdale. Scarlet, distinct; size of pip and truss monstrous.

P. N. Fraser. Bright scarlet, small, white eye, flowers and trusses large and well-formed.

Surrey Scarlet. Soft scarlet, white eye, fine form and substance.

Snowball. A pure white in all seasons, pip large and round; trusses large. It is much the finest white yet introduced. Price, 75 cts. each.

Zelia. Rich crimson, tinted purple and orange; flowers large, trusses enormous.

Price, 35 cts. each; \$3.50 per doz.

GERANIUMS.

(Zonale, General Collection.)

Brutus. Dark scarlet; very fine, single.

Cleopatra. Flowers of a brilliant shade of carmine-scarlet, trusses of fine form; very free-flowering.

Corregio. Crimson, tinted purple; fine.

Dante. Deep rose-pink, white center.

Diana. Orange-scarlet, large zone.

Eureka. The finest single white; trusses large, and stand well above the foliage.

Fanny Catlin. A beautiful variety; color, soft rosy salmon; large, white eye; immense trusses; a strong grower.

Gathorn Hardy. Orange-scarlet; very fine.

Guinea. Brilliant orange-yellow; very distinct.

Gen. Grant. Brilliant scarlet; fine bedding variety.

- Globosa Major.** A deep, maroon-crimson flower; trusses of immense size and perfectly globular form.
- Helen Dick.** Pale salmon-pink.
- Incomparable.** Orange-scarlet, white eye.
- International.** Rich crimson or crimson-scarlet; fine.
- Jealousy.** A very distinct color; orange-scarlet, of a yellowish hue.
- Joyful.** Light magenta, distinctly edged with orange-scarlet; flowers and truss large; fine habit.
- LaClain.** A beautiful salmon.
- Lady Kennedy.** Intense glowing scarlet, white eye; flowers single and perfect shape.
- Laura Strachen.** Deep salmon, large trusses; free.
- Jean III.** Pink, shaded with very deep purple; immense trusses.
- Lizard.** Rosy salmon, with a distinct bright ring of red; very dwarf; flower single.
- Mrs. Strutt.** Purplish pink; flowers and trusses large and well formed; a pleasing color; dwarf and free.
- Mrs. Moore.** Pure white, with a beautiful, distinct ring of scarlet; small, white eye.
- Manfred.** Light orange-red, fine form.
- Master Christine.** Deep pink, very large trusses.
- Mme. Voucher.** White.
- Miss Nelson.** Rosy pink, fine bedding variety.
- Mrs. Durrell.** Beautiful carmine-pink, large trusses, and stand well above the foliage.
- Nemesis.** A beautiful nosegay; color, a very dark scarlet; trusses large.
- New Guinea.** Orange-yellow, two shades lighter than Guinea; dwarf, compact habit; flowers well formed.
- Olive Carr.** Rosy pink; flowers large and good shape.
- Placci.** Scarlet, shaded magenta.
- Riceii.** Bright scarlet, white eye.
- Silvio.** Bright orange-scarlet, white eye.
- Sophia Berkin.** Bright mottled salmon; trusses large and freely produced.
- Sunbeam.** Brilliant scarlet; bright orange hue.
- Spencer.** Magenta, white eye; a very free-bloomer.
- Salmon Rienzi.** A beautiful salmon self, of good size and substance.
- Titania (Pearson's).** Bright salmon, distinct; fine for winter blooming.
- Vesuvius.** Scarlet, dwarf.
- Wheel of Fortune.** Soft rosy scarlet, petals broad; fine-shaped flowers.
- Wm. Pearsons.** Fine, dark scarlet.

Price, 20 cts. to 35 cts. each; \$2.00 to \$3.50 per doz., except where noted.

GERANIUMS.

(Double.)

This class forms an interesting and valuable addition, not only from their novelty, but from their great value as bedding-plants. As the blossoms do not shed their petals, they remain a long time in flower, and are useful in various ways where single varieties are almost worthless.

- Arethusa.** Deep scarlet; fine.
- Bataclan.** Rich, dark carmine, shaded purple.
- Bishop Wood.** Upper petals violet, lower orange-scarlet; abundant bloomer.
- Carillon.** Deep salmon, of a pleasing shade; large and fine.
- Depute Brice.** Large flowers; trusses large; petals the color of peach-blossoms.
- " **Varroy.** Enormous, rather flat trusses; color, vivid lake, deep at the edges of petals, and shading to white at the center; a magnificent shade.
- " **d'Anceion.** A beautiful, well-shaped flower; color, deep magenta-rose; large truss; a good grower.
- Dolable.** Brilliant scarlet; large truss.
- Emily Laxton.** Immense, vivid scarlet, velvety, very double, almost quilled.
- Gen. Ferre.** Orange-salmon; flowers large and beautifully mottled; trusses very large, and produced in abundance.
- Henri Cannell.** Deep magenta-purple, large pips, full and double, highly suffused, purple.
- Henry Burrier.** Fine; orange-salmon.
- Heteranthe.** Bright scarlet, semi-double, fine form.
- Heroine.** The largest pip of any in the class; pure white; very fine.
- J. C. Rodbard.** Salmon-red.
- Louis Poitier.** Deep salmon; guard petals blotch-white; novel and beautiful.
- M. Pasteur.** Deep crimson; flowers large and well formed.
- Monsieur Gelein Louagie.** Semi-double, very large; color bright vermillion, shaded with salmon; dwarf habit.
- Mrs. Mampion.** Rose-pink, large flower.
- Maria Bertier.** White, shaded pale pink; large trusses.
- Mme. Gibbard.** Brilliant pink.
- " **Thibault.** Very free-flowering; trusses large and fine; flowers very large and double; bright magenta-rose; upper petals marked with white.
- Souvenir de Carpeux.** Deep magenta; good habit.
- " **R. Mason.** White.
- Vesta.** Bright scarlet, small trusses, free-flowering.

Price, 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.

NEW VARIEGATED-LEAVED GERANIUMS.

- Mme. Salleroi.** A distinct variety, with leaves from one to two inches in diameter; the center of each is of deep olive-green, with a broad margin of pure white; habit quite dwarf; it is not affected in the least by exposure to the direct sunlight. Price, 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.
- Mrs. Parker.** The foliage of this variety is identical with Mountain of Snow, but produces a quantity of beautiful double pink-colored flowers, which render it very distinct and attractive. Price, 25 cts. each.

GERANIUMS.

(Gold, Silver, and Bronze-leaved.)

- Alma.** Leaves deep green, silver margin; flowers bright scarlet.
- Bijou.** Leaves round, silver margin; flowers bright scarlet.
- Crystal Palace Gem.** Leaves golden, green center.

Countess of Warwick. Sulphur-white, carmine zone.

" " **Craven.**

Emperor of Brazil. One of the best bronze varieties.

Freak of Nature. An improvement on "Happy Thought," foliage much smaller; habit very dwarf and branching; center of leaf pure white.

Happy Thought. This is a novel and interesting variety, having a large, yellow blotch in the center of the leaf, with an outer band of green at the margin; flowers rich magenta-rose; habit, dwarf.

Lady Cullum. Improvement on Mrs. Pollock. Price, 25 cts. each.

Marshal McMahon. Ground color of the leaves, golden yellow; deep chocolate zone, extra fine variety. Price, 25 cts. each.

Mountain of Snow. Deep green, white margin.

Mrs. Pollock. Leaves deep green, zone tinted with scarlet, yellowish green margin.

Mrs. J. Clutton. A fine silver tricolor.

Miss Goring. Golden yellow leaves, margined with brilliant flame-colored tints; crimson-scarlet zone. Price, 50 cts. each.

Prince Silver Wings. Green disk, bronze zone, tinted with carmine and white.

Prince of Tricolors. Bright green disk, with crimson zone, interspersed with fiery scarlet.

Socrates.

Wm. Sandy. Like Miss Goring in color, but of a stronger growth. Price, 50 cts. each.

Price, 15 cts. to 25 cts. each, except where noted; \$1.50 to \$2.25 per doz.

GERANIUMS.

(Hybrid, Bedding, and Scented.)

Lady Plymouth. Variegated foliage, rose-scented.

Morganii. Dark scarlet flowers.

Prince of Orange. Delicious scent.

Radula. Singular cut foliage.

Rose.

Unique (Rollinson's). Deep crimson-purple flowers.

White Unique. Light flowers, spotted.

Price, 20 cts. each; \$2.25 per doz.

GERANIUMS.

(Ivy-leaved.)

Bridal Wreath. Pure white.

Lady Edith. Leaves green, flowers crimson, shaded purple.

L'Elegante. Foliage bright green, with broad bands of pure white; flowers pure white; fine for baskets, etc.

Willsii. A new hybrid, of vigorous habit and compact growth; flowers violet-rose color.

" **Rosea.** Like the last in habit, with delicate rosy pink flowers.

Price, 15 cts. to 30 cts. each; \$1.50 to \$2.50 per doz.

DOUBLE IVY-LEAVED GERANIUMS.

Finette. Blush-white, upper petals flushed with rose and feathered with dark crimson.

König Albert. Violet-rose color.

Mme. E. Galle. Pure white, very double and large; the best.

M. Dilbus.

Viscountess Cranbrook. White, shaded satin-rose; very pretty; quite double.

Price, 15 cts. to 20 cts. each; \$1.50 to \$2.00 per doz.

HELIOTROPES.

A well-known and much admired fragrant plant. Our collection contains the best of the light and dark varieties. Price, 10 cts. to 30 cts. each; \$1.00 to \$3.00 per doz.

HERBACEOUS PLANTS.

Herbaceous plants are the most valuable of all garden flowers. They are not only hardy, but easy of culture, increasing rapidly, and give a succession of bloom from May to November.

We have added a large number of choice new and old varieties of this valuable class of plants to our stock this year, that are not enumerated in the following list:—

Anemone. In variety.

Aquilegia (Columbine). Well-known flower, throwing up stems of flowers of various colors; two feet high.

Baptisia. Handsome spikes of blue, lupine-shaped flowers; in June and July.

Daisy (Bellis). See special description.

Dielytra (Bleeding Heart). A beautiful border plant, with brilliant rosy, heart-shaped flowers.

Delphinium. Four sorts.

Canterbury Bell. Large, showy, bell-shaped flowers of pure white, rose, and purple; June.

Fox Glove (Digitalis). Showy, bell-shaped flowers, on stems three or four feet high.

Flaxinella. Small spikes of white and reddish purple flowers; in June.

Funkia Japonica. Foliage variegated; light blue.

" " **Alba.** White.

Hyacinths. In variety.

Hollyhock. A fine collection of all colors.

Iris. In variety.

Iberis Sempervirens (Perennial Candytuft). Low-growing plants, with heads of white flowers.

Lychnis Viscaria. Pinkish red, double flowers.

Lily of the Valley. White.

Myosotis (Forget-me-not). Blue.

Narcissus. In variety.

" **Poeticus Ornatus.** Flowers large, pure white, with a red cup.



Phlox. (See special description.)

" **Subulata** (Moss Pink). Low-growing; covered in spring with pink flowers.

Polyanthus. In variety.

Primulas. In variety.

Spiræa Japonica. Feathery white flowers, one foot high.

" " **Fol. Variegata.**

" **Palmata.** The finest of the "Meadow Sweets"; large corymbs of crimson-purple flowers, three feet high.

" **Plumosa.**

" In variety.

Sedum. For rock-work. (See special description.)

Sweetwilliams. In variety.

Vinca (Periwinkle). White and blue; for cemetery.

Walhenbergia. Blue and white.

Yucca (Adam's Needles). Showy, cream-white flowers.

Price, 25 cts. to 50 cts. each; \$2.50 to \$5.00.

HIBISCUS.

A showy and handsome plant, of rapid growth, forming large bushes. The foliage is a glossy green. The Hibiscus is valuable both for summer and winter blooming.

H. Cooperii Tricolor. Foliage beautifully mottled with pure white and pale rose color; flowers bright crimson.

H. Double. Red.

" " Crimson-scarlet.

Price, 25 cts. to 50 cts. each; \$2.50 to \$4.00 per doz.

HYDRANGEA SPECIOSA.

A very conspicuous and showy variety, having very large leaves, with a blotch of pure white through the center of each. Price, 35 cts. each.

HYDRANGEA JAPONICA VARIEGATA.

Beautiful foliage of deep green, marked with white. Adapted to rather shaded location in the garden, as the leaves burn when exposed to our hot mid-summer sun. Excellent for green-house decoration during the summer. Price, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

HYDRANGEA PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA.

A beautiful, hardy variety from Japan, with immense trusses of pure white flowers, changing to blush, and remaining in blossom from August until frost. Price, 50 cts. each.

HYDRANGEA OTASKA.

A fine variety of this popular plant, producing immense pannicles of rosy carmine flowers when the plants are quite small. Price, 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.

HYDRANGEA.

(Thomas Hogg.)

One of the novelties introduced from Japan. It belongs to the Hortense section of the family, but it is a far more free and abundant bloomer than any other kind. The flowers are of the purest white, and of very firm texture. The plants blossom when quite small, and continue in bloom for a great length of time. A valuable plant for cemetery decoration. Having a large stock, we have put them at a very low price. Price, 25 cts. to \$2.00 each.

IRIS.

The Iris are a very beautiful class of plants. They are of various shades of blue, purple, white, and yellow. Perfectly hardy, and require no attention after being planted. Price, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

IXORAS.

Beautiful stove-flowering plant, producing large truss of orange-colored flowers.

I. Williamsii.**I. Coccinea Superba.****JAPANESE MAPLES.**

These Maples are among the most beautiful and interesting additions to our ornamental deciduous trees or shrubs that have been made within the past few years. They are low trees or shrubs, with erect stems, the branches more or less spreading in the different varieties, and clothed with foliage that is developed in a greater variety of form and color than in any other species of deciduous trees known.

KLEINIA REPENS.

A very pretty, succulent plant, with long, roundish, glaucous leaves. A very desirable basket-plant. Price, 25 cts. each.

LANTANA CALIFORNICA.

One of the finest varieties out; the habit is very dwarf and compact; the flowers are bright golden orange; an abundant bloomer; very desirable for bedding. Price, 10 cts. to 25 cts. each; \$1.00 to \$2.50 per doz.

LOBELIAS.

Plants of easy growth, well adapted for bedding, edging, rockeries, baskets, etc. Price, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

LOMARIA GIBBA.

A green-house Tree-Fern, of the most elegant growth, adapted for every purpose; graceful in its feathery fronds; easy of culture in any shady wood-earth; grows

rapidly; adapted for baskets, vases, etc.; bears exposure to the sun like a Sago Palm, to which it has a strong resemblance. Price, 15 cts. to 50 cts. each; \$1.50 to \$4.00 per doz.

LYGODIUM SCANDENS.

(Japanese Climbing Fern.)

A Climbing Fern of graceful, twining habit, often attaining a height of twenty feet, and is much used as a substitute for smilax in decorating. It is of easy culture, and is a handsome plant for vases or hanging-baskets, as it can be used to climb or to droop as required. Price, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

MARANTA.

A beautiful, ornamental foliage plant, suitable for ferneries, baskets, vases, etc:

Argyrea.

Litziana.

Makoyana.

Pulchella.

Regalis.

Van den Hecke.

Zebrina.

Price, from 25 cts. to \$2.50 each.

MAHERNIA ODORATA.

A very desirable green-house plant, blooming profusely during the spring months. The flowers are yellow, bell-shaped, and very fragrant. Price, 25 cts. each.

MYRSIPHYLLUM ASPARAGOIDES.

(Smilax.)

There is no plant in cultivation that surpasses this in the graceful beauty of its foliage, and its peculiar wavy formation renders it one of the most valuable of all plants for vases and baskets, as it can be used either to climb or to droop as required. The foliage is smooth and glossy; indispensable for bouquets, wreaths, etc. Price, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

MAURANDIAS.

Beautiful climbing plants, of graceful, slender growth, producing an endless profusion of handsome white, pink, or purple gloxinia-shaped flowers throughout the season.

Alba. White.

Barclayana. Purple.

Rosea. Rose.

Price, 10 cts. to 25 cts. each; \$1.00 to \$2.00 per doz.

NIEREMBERGIA.

Very beautiful, neat-growing plants, of good habit and delicate foliage, with a profusion of pretty purple and white flowers from June to September; well adapted for baskets, vases, etc. Price, 10 cts. to 25 cts. each; \$1.00 to \$2.25 per doz.

ORCHIDS.

As the prices of Orchids vary considerably, according to the size of the plants, we think it best not to affix any price to this list; but we shall be pleased to give all information on application.

Calanthe Veitchii.

" **Vestata.**

Cœlogne Cristata.

Cypripediums in variety.

Dendrobium Bigibbum.

" **Bensonii.**

" **Crassinode.**

" **Crystallinum.**

" **Densiflorum.**

" **Devonianum.**

" **Formosum.**

" " **Giganteum.**

" **Nobilis.**

" **Pierardi.**

" **Thyrsiflorum.**

" **Wardianum.**

Epidendron Vitelinum.

Lælia Albida.

Lælia Anceps.

" **Autumnalis.**

" **Purpurata.**

Odontoglossum Alexandra.

" **Cirrhum.**

" **Grande.**

" **Pulchellum.**

" **Vexilarium.**

Oncidium

" **Forbesii.**

" **Incurvum.**

" **Tigrinum.**

" **Varicosum.**

Peresteria Elata.

Phajus Grandiflora.

Pilumina Fragrans.

Zygopetalum.

PANSIES.

We have a very choice collection, raised from the seed of the best English and American growers. Price, 10 cts. to 15 cts. each; \$1.00 to \$1.50 per doz.

PÆONIES.

One of the showiest and most desirable of hardy, ornamental plants, with beautiful, sweet-scented flowers. Their easy culture recommends them to every one who has a garden. Price, 25 cts. to 50 cts. each; \$2.50 to \$4.50 per doz.

PALMS.

(See Cut on page 41.)

As a decorative plant they stand unrivalled. They are easily cultivated, and require but little attention; of graceful and stately form, they impart a rich, sub-tropical appearance wherever used.

Areca Lutescens.

" **Rubra.**

" **Sapida.**

Cocos Weddelliana. A most elegant, small palm, with graceful, arching leaves, of a rich, dark green.

Cycas Revoluta. The sage-palm, very choice; \$1.00 to \$5.00 each.

Dioon Edule.

Kentia Belmoreana.

Latania Borbonica. Beautiful, with immense, fan-shaped leaves; \$1.00 to \$10.00 each.



Phoenix Dactylifera. Date palm.

" " **Reclinata.**

Ptychosperma. A fine palm.

Price on application.

PASSIFLORA.

(Passion Vine.)

A beautiful, free-growing climber, with handsome, dark green leaves and showy flowers.

Passiflora Cærulea. Blue.

" **Decasiana.** Pale blue-red and purple.

Price, 25 cts. each ; \$2.50 per doz.

PEPEROMIA.

Beautiful, low-growing plants, with variegated foliage. A choice plant for ferneries, etc.

Maculosa. Price, 25 cts. each.

Verschaffeltii. Price, 25 cts. each.

SHOW AND FANCY PELARGONIUMS.

These Pelargoniums are remarkable for their large, showy flowers ; easily grown, flowering profusely, and present in their varied tints and colors what few other plants possess.

We mention below some of the best varieties for market and general decorative purposes. They embrace some of the finest varieties yet introduced.

Adanson. Deep purple-crimson, violet center.

Alexina.

Beadsman.

Beauty of Oxtou. Upper petals veined rich maroon, darkly blotched ; under petals dark crimson, shaded with maroon ; light center, tinted with rose ; all the petals are regularly margined with white, and beautifully fringed.

Beauty of Kingston. Pearly white, with a dark spot on each petal.

Blanche Fleur. Nearly white.

Braid's Decorator. Crimson and maroon blotched, veined in lower petals ; dwarf and free.

Charles Keen. White center, rich lower petals, maroon top, shaded with carmine.

Coronet. Crimson-rose, dark crimson spots.

Desdemona. Pure white, deep maroon blotch.

Digby Grand. Blush-white, with veined blotch on the upper petals ; fringed edge.

Dr. Andry.

Dr. Masters. Large, black blotches in the center, margined with rich crimson ; lower petals smaller blotch, with broader margin than the upper.

Duchess of Bedford. Pure white, slightly pink on top petals, and very flowering.

Duchess of Edinburgh. Delicate white, blotched with purple.

Grandes. Carmine, light center, maroon spot on every petal, good habit, and free-flowering.

Harlequin. Carmine, dark spot, white throat.

Her Majesty.

Imperatrice Eugenie. French white, rich, dark spots.

John Bright.

Mabel. Dark maroon, narrow edge of carmine.

Maria.

Maria Mallet.

Mary Hoyle. Orange-rose, white center.

Minnie.

Miss Bradshaw. Bright carmine spot, fringed edge; improvement on "Dr. Andry."

Mme. Koenig.

Morning Star. Pure white, with a very deep crimson blotch in upper petals; flowers large; habit dwarf and spreading.

Mrs. Gladstone.

Mrs. L. Floyd. Bright scarlet, profuse bloomer.

La Negro.

Perseverance.

Prince of Pelargoniums. Vermilion-scarlet, blush-white center, veined violet; upper petals flushed with crimson.

Purity. Large, pure white; maroon-carmine spot on upper petals.

Reine Hortense.

Robert Green.

Rose Celestial. Delicate pink, deep rose blotch.

Rosa Munda.

Scarlet Gem. Rosy scarlet, light center, fringed, very beautiful.

Sir J. Paxton. Very dark purple, free-bloomer.

Triomphe de St. Mand. Rich, deep crimson, large trusses; dwarf, strong habit, free.

Vestal. Pure white, dark spots on upper petals.

Whitstone Herr.

Wm. Bull. Crimson-scarlet, dark spotted, free-bloomer, very fine.

Price, 25 cts. to 50 cts. each; \$3.00 to \$5.00 per doz.

PILEA MUSCOSA AND SERPÆFOLIA.

Very pretty, neat-growing plant, with slender, frond-like leaves; desirable for baskets, vases, etc. Price, 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

PETUNIAS.

(Single, Striped, and Blotched.)

Our stock of Petunias has been much improved by saving only from the best flowers, so that we now have a superior strain, which for beautiful markings and solidity of flowers can scarcely be equalled. Price, 10 cts. each; 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per hundred.

PHLOX.

A fine collection of this most interesting of our hardy, herbaceous, perennial plants. They are of the easiest culture, and embrace every color, from purest white to deepest crimson; well adapted for city gardens or shrubberies, as they will grow either in shade or sunshine.

Argory. Crimson, center bright, dark eye.

Augusta Riviere. Pure white, purple-crimson eye.

- Augusta S. Riviere.** Bright vermilion, crimson eye.
Brilliant. Dark rosy pink, large, crimson eye.
Calypse. Violet-crimson, large.
Chas. Wagner. Deep, bright crimson, maroon eye.
Coccinea. Crimson-scarlet, fine.
Countess of Breadalbane. Dark, purple-crimson.
Cyprus. Salmon-pink, dark eye.
Defiance. Violet-crimson, bright.
Dr. Bourdevall. Beautiful carmine-rose, large.
Duke of Lancaster. Deep rose, dark center.
Edith. Pure white, violet-purple eye.
Ernest Benary. Pale rose, deep eye.
Gloire de Neuilly. Deep vermilion, shaded crimson, dark eye.
J. K. Lord. Vermilion, shaded crimson, bright eye.
John Forbes. Clear, pale rose, crimson eye, very large and fine.
Jeanne d'Arc. Snow-white, fine.
Larina. Pure white.
Louis Van Houtte. Vermilion, maroon eye.
M. Dubue. Salmon-pink, crimson eye.
Mme. Brandtt. White, bright eye.
Mr. Ware. Purplish crimson.
Pomme de Sidon. Dark violet-crimson, fine.
Resplendent. Magenta, shaded scarlet, fine.
Ruby. Reddish purple, fine.
S. S. Ware. Dark lilac, light center.
Splendens. Magenta-rose.
Souvenir. Bright vermilion, dark eye.
Virgo Maria. Fine white.
York and Lancaster. Light rose, purple-crimson eye.
- Price, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

PANICUM VARIEGATUM.

A very pretty, neat-growing, variegated grass, of drooping habit. The color of the leaves is dark green, rose, and white; desirable for baskets, vases, etc. Price, 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

PANDANUS GRAMINIFOLIUS.

A fine, dwarf-growing variety, of drooping habit; with deep green, narrow leaves, serrated on the edges. Price, 50 cts. each.

PANDANUS UTILIS.

A beautiful plant, with long, recurved, glossy green leaves; well adapted for centers of vases, baskets, etc. Price, 50 cts. to \$1.00 each.

PANDANUS VEITCHII.

A most beautiful variety; leaves light green in color, with stripes and bands of pure white; most graceful habit. Price, \$1.00 to \$5.00 each.

PHORMIUM TENAX VARIEGATUM.

A variegated form of the well-known New Zealand Flax. The leaves, which are often six feet long, are of a dark green color, distinctly marked with broad stripes of yellow, more than half the leaf being frequently of the latter color. Is is very ornamental for conservatory and summer flower-garden decoration. Price, \$3.00.

POINSETTIA PULCHERRIMA.

A magnificent plant, producing, about Christmas, the most gorgeous bracts of rich vermilion, which often measure one foot in diameter, and remain in perfection several weeks. Price, 50 cts. to \$1.00 each.

POINSETTIA PULCHERRIMA PLENISSIMA.

One of the most gorgeous of plants. The bracts, or flower-leaves, are often over a foot in diameter, and of a most brilliant vermilion. Price, 50 cts. to \$1.00 each.

REINECKIA CARNEA VARIEGATA.

A beautiful, variegated, grass-like plant of dwarf habit; an excellent plant for aquariums, ferneries, etc. Price, 25 cts. each.

RHYNCHOSPERMUM JASMINOIDES.

A beautiful green-house climber; flowers pure white and very fragrant; a valuable winter-blooming plant. Price, 25 cts. each.

RHODODENDRONS.

We would call the attention of our patrons to our superior stock of hardy Rhododendrons. These beautiful plants are yet but little cultivated, undoubtedly in a great degree from the general impression that they are difficult to manage, requiring special care and what is called peat soil; and it was at one time believed that they would not thrive in any other. Experience, however, proves the contrary; and it is now found that Rhododendrons thrive in almost any soil that does not contain lime. Strong plants, well set with buds, from two to three feet high, \$2.00 to \$5.00 each.

HYBRID TEA ROSES.

Camoens. A bright China rose.

Beauty of Stapleford. Pale pinkish rose, shaded darker in center.

Duke of Connaught. Dark, rich crimson; immense size.

Jean Sisley. Rosy lilac, turning to bright pink in center; large and full.

Pierre Guillot. Bright dazzling red; petal bordered with white; very large, with erect flowers, well formed; very free bloomer; growth vigorous.

Reine Marie Henriette. A red Gloire de Dijon; large and full climbing.

This superb variety is the only one in this class.

Viscountess Falmouth. Very delicate pinkish rose, tinged with darker pink; large and of good form.

Price, 25 cts. to 50 cts. each; \$2.50 to \$4.50 per doz.

CHOICE TEA ROSES.

Catherine Merrmet. Delicate flesh color; large, fine show flower.

Comtesse Riza du Parc. Beautiful metallic rose, changing to pink; large, full, and good form.

Cornelia Cook. Creamy white, very large.

Duchess of Edinburgh. Crimson; most desirable color; fine form.

Louis de Savoie. Clear, pale yellow; very large and full.

Mme. Lambard. Fine bright red; large, full, distinct, and beautiful.

Pearl des Jardins. Straw color; very fine; one of the best.

" **de Lyons.** Deep fawn and apricot; a beautiful, large rose.

Souvenir d'un Ami. Salmon-rose; very large and full; a superb rose.

Price, 25 cts. to 50 cts. each; \$2.50 to \$4.50 per doz.

NOISETTE ROSES.

(Climbing Roses.)

Lamarque. Pure white, in clusters.

Marechal Niel. A rich, brilliant yellow; too well known to need any description.

Mme. Caroline Kuster. Center canary-yellow, outer petals pale lemon, flowers large, globular; a fine rose.

Price, 25 cts. to 50 cts. each.

MONTHLY ROSES.

Agrippina. Brilliant crimson.

Niphetos. Pure white, extra.

Bon Silene. Rich, deep pink.

Pauline Labonte. Light blush.

Douglass. Very deep maroon-crimson.

Safrano. Orange-yellow; splendid in bud; free-bloomer.

Malmaison. Blush; fine flower.

Yellow Tea.

Malmaison Rouge. Deep velvety red.

Price, 15 cts. to 50 cts. each; \$1.50 to \$5.00 per doz.

HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES.

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